# Streetscape - 5<sup>th</sup> Street Farmer Avenue to College Avenue

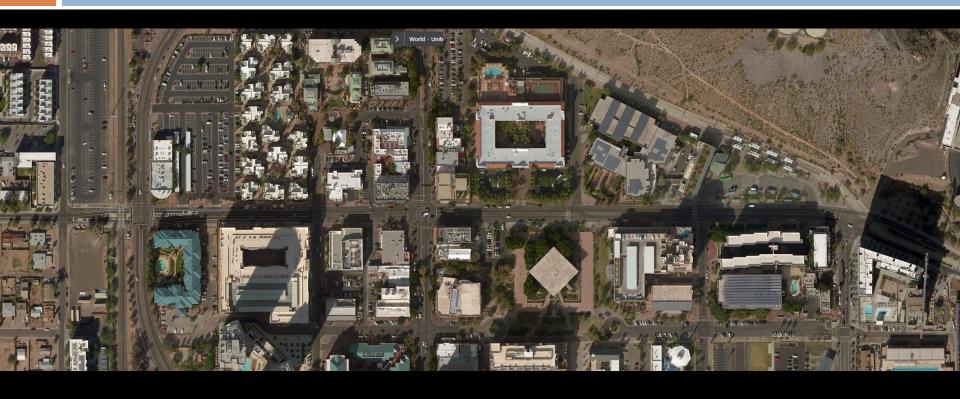
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### 5<sup>th</sup> Street & Downtown Tempe



#### 5<sup>th</sup> Street Streetscape Project History

- 2014
  - Downtown Parking Study
- · 2015
  - Identified in Tempe Transportation Plan 2020 Improvements
  - City Council supported design project for 5<sup>th</sup> St, Farmer to College
  - Design funded through Downtown Parking Fund
- 2016
  - CollectiV design team hired through RFQ process
  - Begin public involvement, data collection

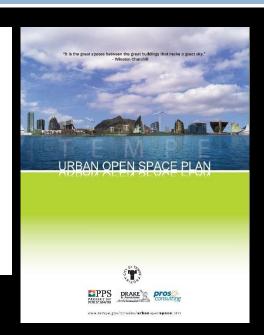
#### 5<sup>th</sup> Street Existing Conditions

- Half mile collector street heart of downtown Tempe
- Multi-modal, 3500-4000 vehicles per day
- Links established/historic & redeveloping neighborhoods with downtown & ASU
- Historic structures, contemporary infill, public art, LEED
   Platinum TTC, & Hayden "A Mountain" Butte
- Some on-street parking
- Varying quality of sidewalk, ADA, street, bicycle & landscape

#### **Guiding Documents**

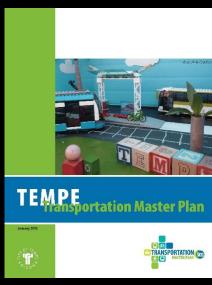






#### **Guiding Documents**







#### Rob and Melani Walton Sustainability Solutions Initiatives

**Assessment of Tempe Canopy Coverage** 

sustainabilitysolutions.asu.edu



#### 5<sup>th</sup> Street Design Goals

- Enhance multi-modalism (improve bike, ped, transit & ADA)
- Utilize innovative transportation design (NACTO)
- Maintain vehicular & special event access & integrate traffic calming
- Expand & improve landscape & shade options, particularly tree coverage
- Address heat island & user comfort, utilize Low Impact Development techniques (water harvesting, solar)

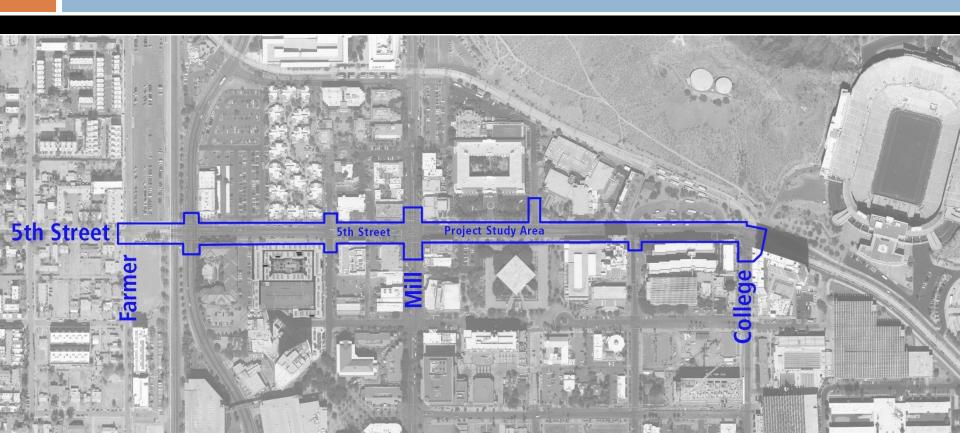
#### 5<sup>th</sup> Street Design Goals

- Balance design with cost control & long term maintenance
- Connect to neighborhoods, protect & create gateways/transitions
- Create innovative, sustainable, iconic street with mobility for all
- Ensure access to existing utility infrastructure, and accommodate for future expansion of utility corridors

#### Project Limits & Area (College to Farmer)



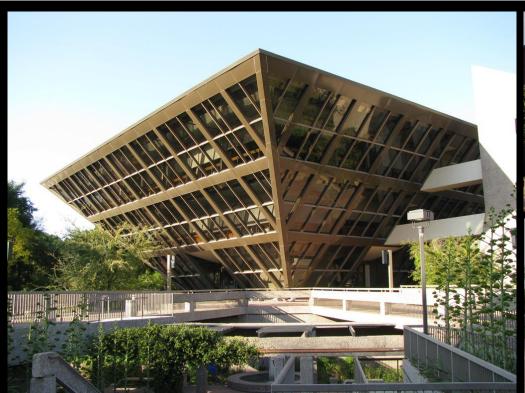
#### **Project Limits**



#### Surrounding Context – Tempe Land



#### Surrounding Context – City Facilities







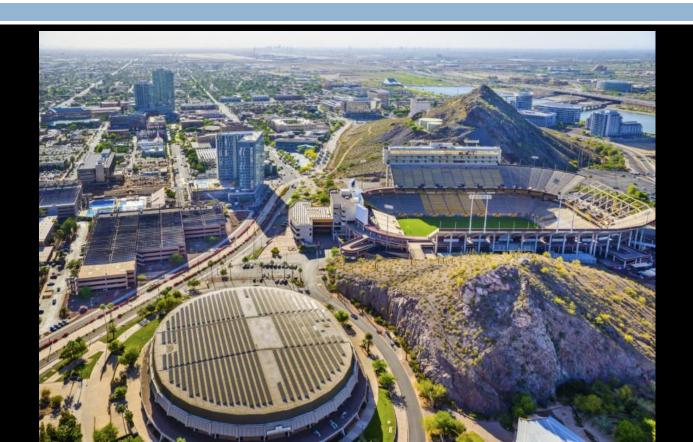
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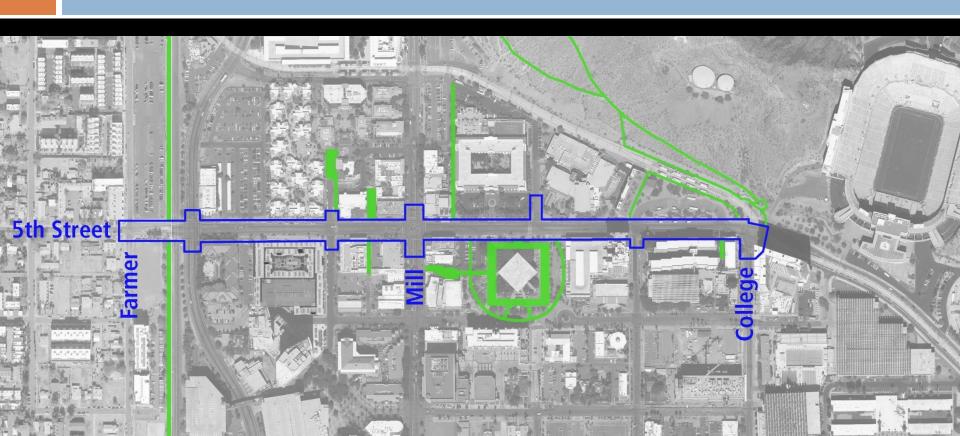
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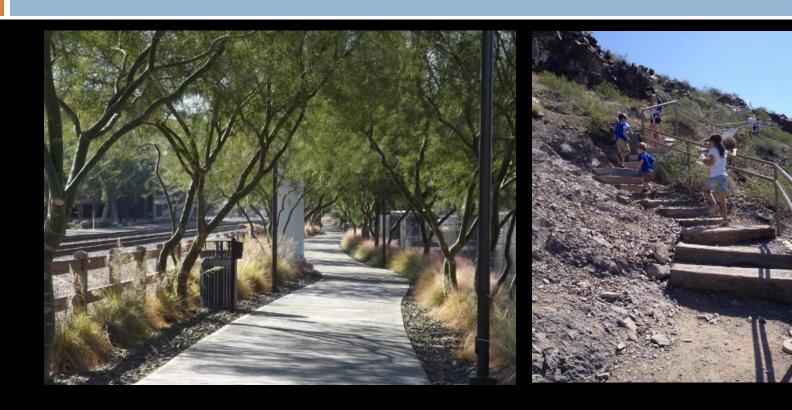
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#### Surrounding Context – Alleys, Vias, Paths & Trails



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#### Surrounding Context – Recreation/Park Links



#### Surrounding Context – Recreation Opportunities





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#### Surrounding Context – Connected Streets



#### Surrounding Context – Neighborhood Link



### 5<sup>th</sup> & Farmer



### 5<sup>th</sup> & Ash



## 5<sup>th</sup> & Maple



### 5<sup>th</sup> & Mill



### 5<sup>th</sup> & Myrtle



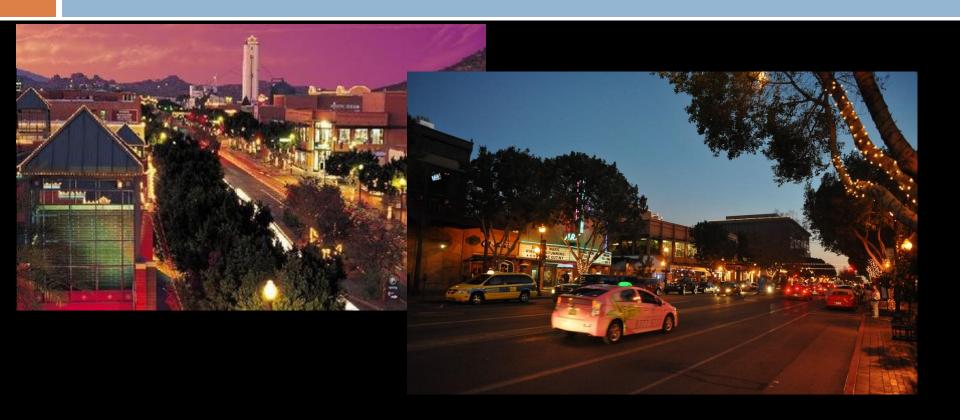
### 5<sup>th</sup> & Forest



### 5<sup>th</sup> & College



#### Surrounding Context – Mill Avenue



#### Sidewalks



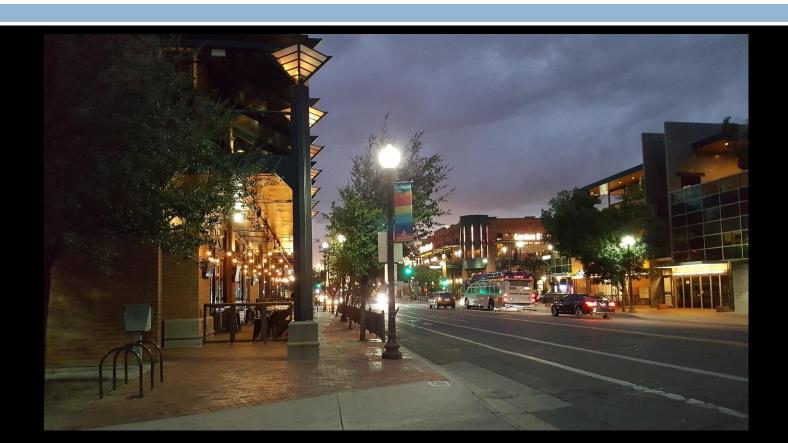








### Sidewalks



#### Crosswalks







### Community Festivals







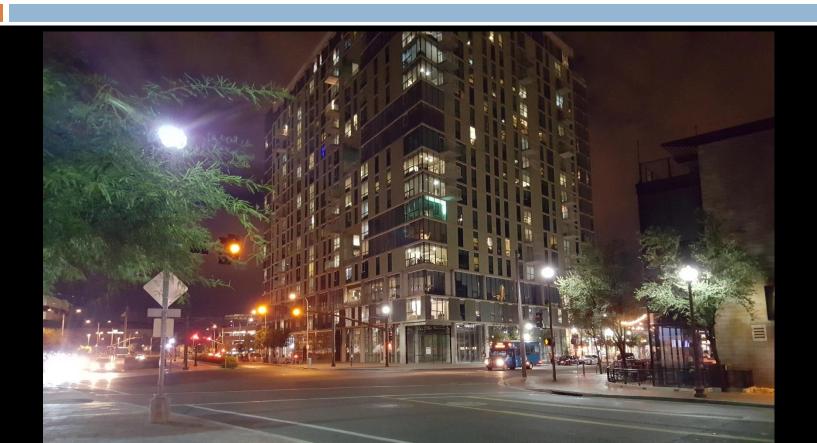
### Residential/Hotel Uses



#### Surrounding Residential – Hanover on Mill



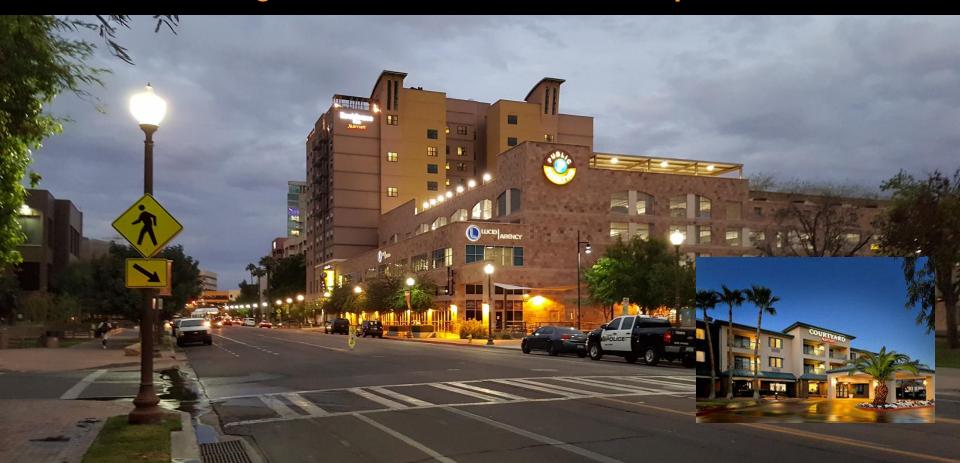
## Surrounding Residential – University House



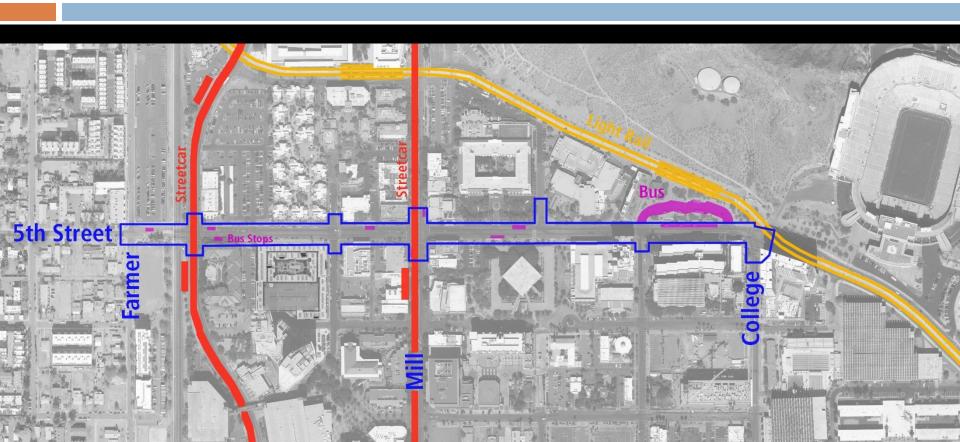
# Surrounding Hotel – Mission Palms



## Surrounding Hotel – Marriott Properties



### Transit Facilities



# Transportation Center



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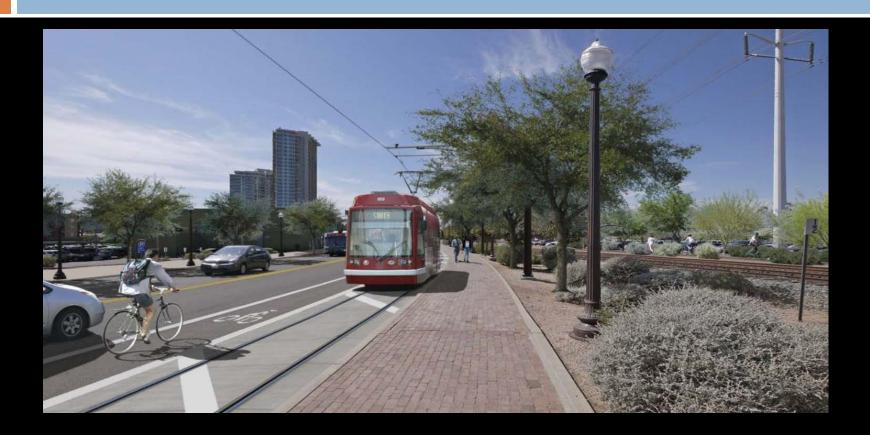
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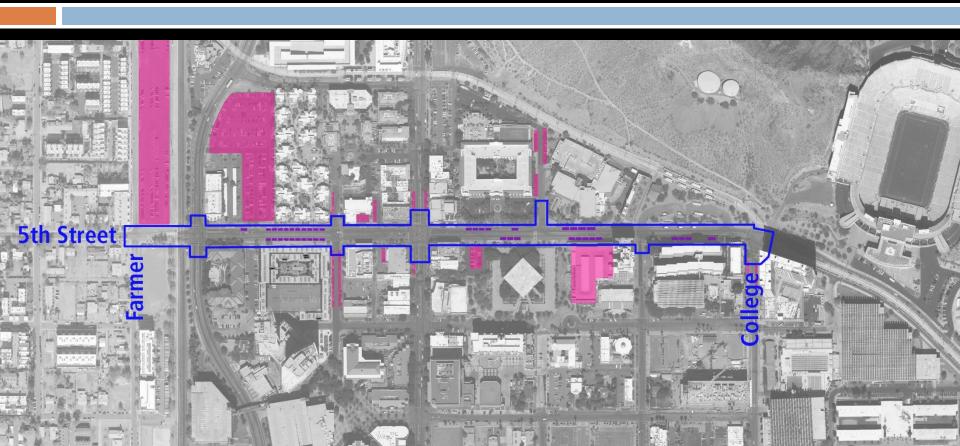




## Streetcar



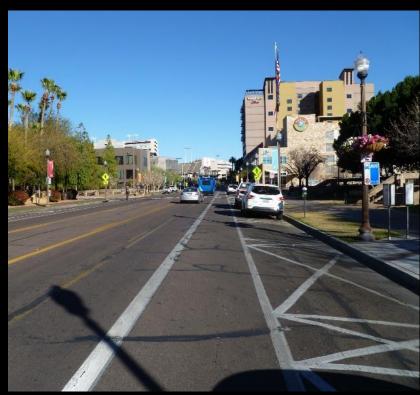
## Parking On-Street and On-Lots



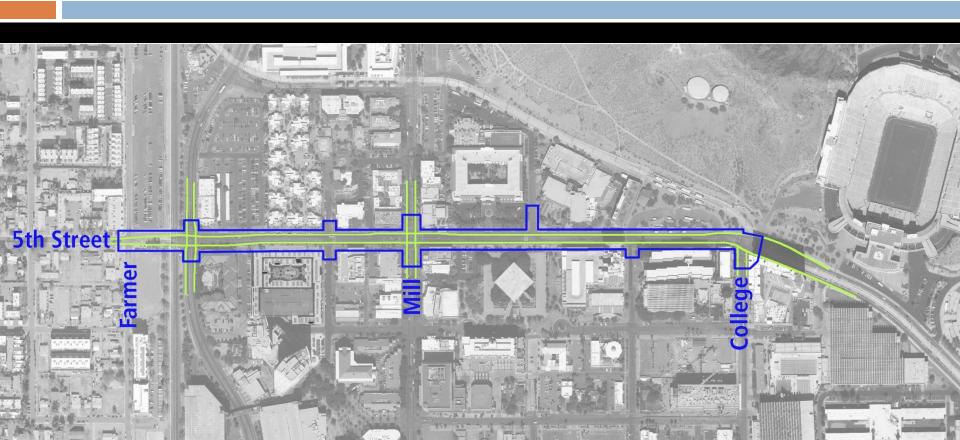
# **On-Street Parking**







## Bike Lanes



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## **Existing Tree Locations**













































## Tree Canopy Coverage



TREE LOCATION

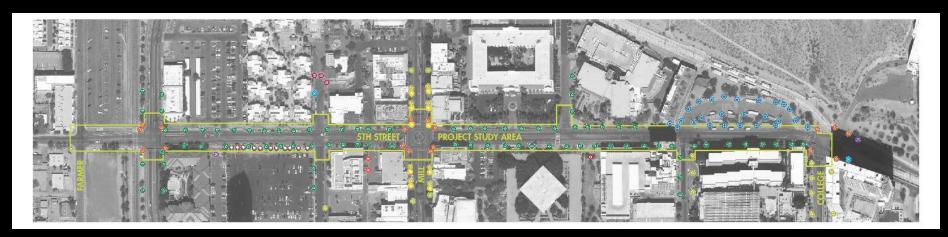
\*EXISTING TEMPE AVERAGE CANOPY COVERAGE - 13.4%

\*EXISTING TEMPE/ASU/DOWNTOWN CANOPY COVERAGE - 12.1%

\*TEMPE R.O.W. CANOPY COVERAGE - 1.6%

EXISTING R.O.W. 5TH STREET STUDY AREA CANOPY COVERAGE - 8.3%

### **Light Fixture Locations**























































# Light Fixtures







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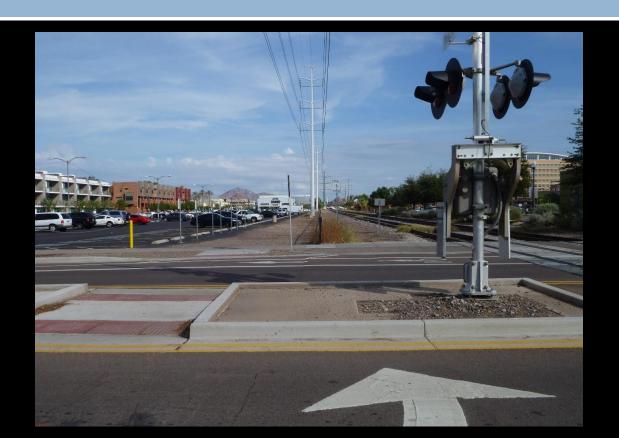






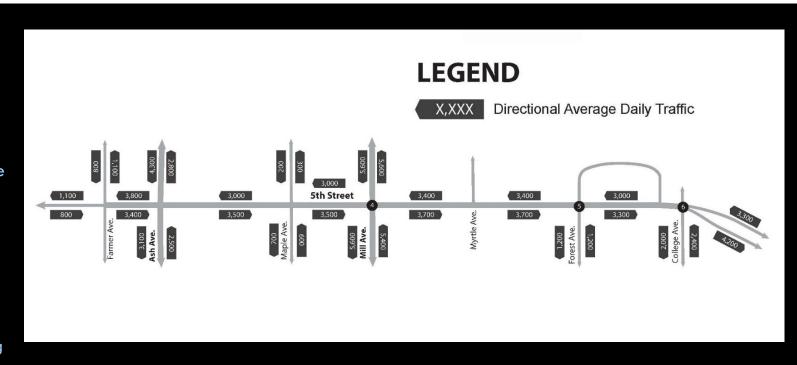


# **UPRR** Crossing



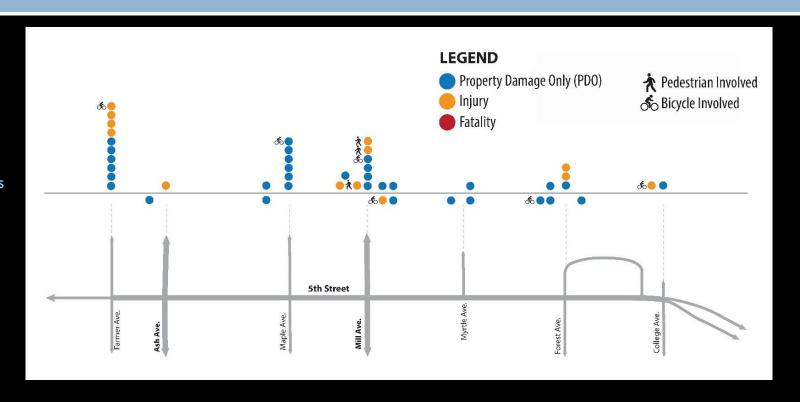
### Traffic Analysis – Current Average Daily Data

- Consistent volume of traffic
- No major traffic issues
- Higher volume on east side connection to ASU
- Seven intersections
- Access to offstreet parking and building entries



#### Accident Data — 2013-2015

- Relatively low number of accidents over
   2 year period
- Mill Avenue has highest concentration
- No fatalities



### Multi Modal, Smart, Green, Distinctive Street Possibilities





Parallel Parking



**Angle Parking** 



Reverse Angle Parking



On- Street Motorcycle and Scooter Parking

#### Street Possibilities - Parklets





Street Parklets and Pop-up Patios

### Street Possibilities - Parklets







**Street Parklets** 







Street Tree Formations



**Special Event Spaces** 







Intersection Bump outs and Chicanes





Raised Crossings at Intersections







Mid-Block Crossings



Bike Lanes – Adjacent to Parking



Bike Lanes - Green Lanes



**Buffered Bike Lanes** 



Bike Lanes – Physically Protected / Cycle Tracks





Painted Transit Lanes





Bicycle Boxes at Intersections





Stormwater Planters / Water Harvesting







**Open Tree Trenches** 







**Bike Share Stations** 







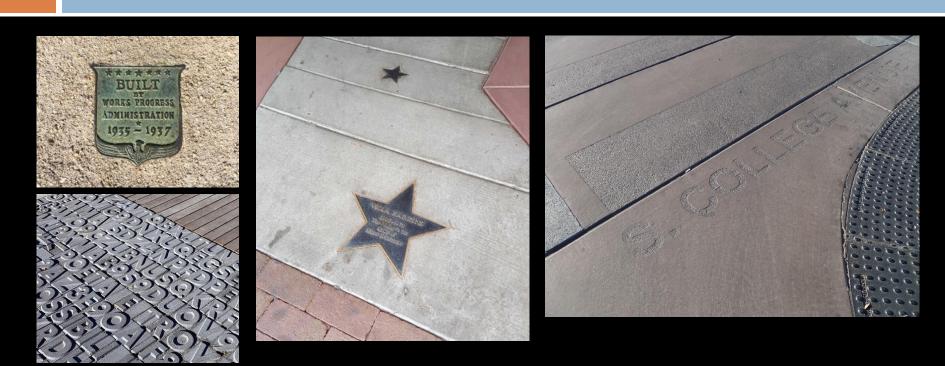
Public Art



**Electric Vehicle Charging Stations** 



**Decorative Paving Treatments** 



Historic & Contemporary References in Paving





**Street Medians** 





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#### Timeline and Next Steps

- Fall 2016
  - Develop Concept Alternatives
- Winter / Spring 2017
  - Public Meeting #2 Review Concept Alternatives
  - Boards & Commissions
  - City Council Direction
- Summer / Fall 2017 Prepare final Construction Documents
- Develop phases, temporary & permanent solutions

#### Stakeholders

- City of Tempe Leaders & Commissions
  - Mayor and Council
  - City Departments
  - Transportation Commission
  - Commission on Disability Concerns
  - Historic Preservation Commission
  - Municipal Arts Commission
  - Parks and Recreation Board
  - Sustainability Commission

- Key Stakeholders
  - Downtown Tempe Authority
  - ASU
  - Neighborhood/Homeowner Associations
  - Tempe Bicycle Action Group
  - Valley Metro
  - Residents, business and property owners adjacent to 5<sup>th</sup> Street

#### **Public Input**

#### Questionnaire:

www.tempe.gov/5thStreet

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#### City of Tempe

#### 5th Street between Farmer Avenue and College Avenue Enhancement Plan Open House Questionnaire

The 5<sup>th</sup> Street enhancement plan will develop a sensible and strategic vision for improvements to the street, intersections, bikeways, sidewalks, lighting, signage, and overall landscape. For more information, visit the project website at <a href="https://www.tempe.gov/5thstreet">www.tempe.gov/5thstreet</a>. You can also sign up for email updates.

#### Tell us about yourself

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Car Service	(Taxi, Uber/Lyft)		
Other:			
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